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AN ARTISTIC BUTCHER.—In one of the market houses of Philadelphia is a genius of a butcher. Beneath his sleeves and apron he wears the costliest broadcloth—none of the inferior grades, but the finest production of French looms. His linen is as faultless as his exterior garments, while the glistening surface of his marble counters is no less striking than the glossiness of his hat and boots. In the centre of his shirt bosom sparkles a single diamond—a stone of six carats weight, and of the first water. Upon the little finger of his left hand glitters a circlet of diamonds, six in number, whose aggregate value is considerably more than that of the garniture of his shirt bosom. His complexion is a clear red and white—just that style of complexion which Parisian ladies produce by dainty commixture of carmine and bismuth. He is a man of fine physique, and has an avoirdupois of about 200 pounds. His address is polished, and his manners courtly and suave. He commenced life without a dollar, and is now taxed for some \$30,000 in real estate, yet is as polite and deferential to his customers as on the day he first embarked in the business of converting quarters of beef into chops and sirloins. A benevolent lady of large fortune first noticed him, and placed at his disposal a fund upon which he has raised the superstructure of his present fortune. He is now rapidly advancing in wealth, and will probably retire upon the eighth of a million. And all through the influence of that specific against adversity—politeness.

RACY OF THE SOIL.—Having had occasion, lately, to visit a sister city, I had the pleasure of an invitation to dinner from one of her popular justices of the peace, which I gladly accepted for two reasons: first, that being a comparative stranger in a large city, civilities of this kind are the most welcome; and second, that my host being one of the most jovial and witty fellows in existence, I anticipated a very pleasant time; and I was not disappointed. While enjoying our dinner, and discussing the current topics of the day, a ring was heard proceeding from the street door. The servant answered the bell, and immediately informed us that an Irish gentleman wished to speak to the squire on important business. The squire excused himself, and after the lapse of about ten minutes, returned with the Irish gentleman, whom with a merry twinkle of the left eye, he introduced as "Mr. O'Flaherty, of Tipperary, Ireland."

Mr. O'F., after many profuse acknowledgments, for the honor done him, joined us at table, and we proceeded with our conversation. After many subjects had been summarily disposed of, the squire, turning to his guest, said, in his quaint style: "Mr. O'Flaherty, you would be a long time in Ireland before a squire would ask you to dinner?" "Ah, then, troth I would, your honor," responded Mr. O'Flaherty, "and your honor would be a long time in Ireland before they would make you a squire."

I need not say that I collapsed, and the squire quietly turned to me, and remarked that the answer was "racy of the soil."

POTENT RESULTS OF A TASTE FOR LIGHT FRENCH WINES.—An English gentleman in the south of France says—"So you are going to have cheap wines and a tenpenny income-tax. I think the reduction on brandy will give a greater extension to it than wine, at least for ten years to come. Many good French wines are only good for three or four years, after that, they turn into vinegar. They are of course the cheap kinds, but they are good and wholesome for that time. In England you never taste them, but when the duty gets 1s. per gallon, plenty of good sound wine will be in England easily procured at 10d. to 1s. a bottle, duty paid. I pay 5 1-2d. to 6d. for good sound vintage '58. I buy a small cask at a time, about twelve gallons, and drink it on a tap, the same as I did in England of bitter beer. I shall be anxiously looking to the debates to see if the treaty will pass and the budget. I think it will by a good majority, and then five years hence it will be impossible to go to war with France, just the same as it would not be with the United States.

THE MONKS PRONOUNCING.—AN O'CONNELL LEADING THE OPPOSITION.—A letter from Bologna describes a "row" which has taken place among the monks established in convents around that town: "The clergy were allowed by Farini to exercise political rights. When the day of using these political rights came, a majority of these friars openly declared their intention to vote for annexation. An Irishman who, both by his virtues and learning, exercises a great influence over the younger monks of the convent, boldly took the lead in the matter, and went with several of his brethren to the poll. It is worthy of notice that this liberal friar is a nephew of Daniel O'Connell. Great was the uproar among the elder Dominicans when they learned that their Irish brother had been the author of such a scandal." A row ensued in which the Irishman's party (as a matter of course) came out victorious.

ENJOYMENT.—Mankind are always happier for having been happy—so that if you make them happy now, you make them happy twenty years hence by the memory of it. A childhood passed with a due mixture of rational indulgence, under fond and wise parents, diffuses over the whole of life a feeling of calm pleasure, and in extreme old age is the very last remembrance which time can erase from the mind of man. No enjoyment, however inconsiderable, is confined to the present moment. A man is the happier for life from having once made an agreeable tour, or lived for any length of time with pleasant people, or enjoyed any considerable interval of innocent pleasure; which contributes to render old men so inattentive to the scenes before them, and carries them back to a world that is past, and to scenes never to be renewed again.

The vain man idolizes his own person, and here he is wrong; but he cannot bear his own company, and here he is right.

An ill-tempered man carries his own smoke, and makes not only his own eyes smart but those of other people.

JUST RECEIVED BY THE UNDERSIGNED, EX ATHELSTAN.

A LARGE AND WELL SELECTED ASSORTMENT of English Clothing, consisting of:
Pilot Cloth Coats;
do do Pants;
do do Vests;
Scotch Tweed and Doanin Coats;
do do do Pants;
do do do Vests;
Moleskin and Cord Pants;
do do do Vests;
An assortment of Ladies' Wearing Apparel.
—A L.S.O.—
A small lot of English Table Salt, of superior quality, in stone jars;
Gents' Balmoral Boots;
Loaf and Crushed Sugar;
English Soap.
For sale at low rates by
REID & MACDONALD,
Wharf street.
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NOTICE.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETO-fore existing between the undersigned, carrying on business on Johnson street, under the style and firm of MOSES & CO., is this day dissolved by mutual consent.

My former partner will carry on business in the same Store; and the said F. Moses is authorised to collect all debts due the late firm, and will pay all claims or liabilities.
F. MOSES,
P. HEILBORN.
P. HEILBORN.
Victoria, May 12, 1860. my15 lm

ICE!

FROM THE
Fort Hope Ice Company,
FOR SALE BY
PEASE & BOYCE,
Agents, Union Wharf.
my12

To Teachers.

WANTED AT THE SELECT SCHOOL, Broad street, a Lady to take the Elementary Class and Superintend the young ladies of the Establishment. A knowledge of fancy needle-work and music would be a recommendation.
N. B.—A separate class room provided.
my15 tf

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE TO ALL whom it may concern, that I have no business connection or partnership association with C. H. Bedford, or Mr. Leigh, of Langley, British Columbia.
WILLIAM STACKPOLE.
Victoria, May 9, 1860. my10 lm*

NOTICE.

I HAVE THIS DAY ASSOCIATED MYSELF with Mr. SAM'L MITCHELL. Hereafter the business will be conducted by CAPRON & MITCHELL, who are now prepared to execute Blacksmithing in all its branches.
G. G. CAPRON.
Victoria, March 9th, 1860. my10 lm

MONSABAT & ALMON,
COMMISSION MERCHANTS
—AND—
AUCTIONEERS.
Wharf street, Victoria, V. I.
m22-6m*

FOR SALE, EX D. M. HALL.

125 BBLs. ROSENDALE CEMENT, in good order, and in lots to suit.
J. J. SOUTHGATE & CO.,
Wharf street.
my12 lm

Steam Engines.

2 10 H.P. HIGH PRESSURE HORIZONTAL Steam Engines, each 10-inch cylinder, with boilers and connections, from Messrs. T. M. Tennant & Co., Newington Works, Edinburgh.
For sale by
DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.
my8 lm

EX BARK MARIE.

250 CASES ASSORTED SYRUP; Do. Lemon, Raspberry, Gum, Orgeat and Strawberry. For sale by
J. D. CARROLL,
Yates street.
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VICTORIA DRY GOODS STORE

THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD RESPECTFULLY inform his friends and the public that he has

REMOVED

TO HIS

NEW FIRE-PROOF STORE

Corner of Yates and Government sts.

Where he is constantly supplied with

NEW GOODS

BY EVERY STEAMER,

and has always on hand a

SPLENDID ASSORTMENT

—OF—

Cloaks and Mantillas,

SILK, VELVET AND CLOTH.

—ALSO—

A large variety of

FINE SILKS.

—ALSO—

BONNETS.

An excellent variety of

ALEXANDER'S KID GLOVES

and a full assortment of

GENTLEMEN'S

Furnishing Goods:

Fine Frock Coats;

Dress Coats; Over Coats

Vests and Pantaloon

OF DIFFERENT COLORS;

FASHIONABLE SILK HATS;

Gilt Cornices, Curtain Rings, Window Shades of all colors, French Cassimeres, Broadcloth, Beaver and Pilot.

Also—A full assortment of Tailor's Trimmings.

Family Furnishing Goods.

Shawls, Alpaca, Merinos,

De Laines, Furs, Gloves, Riding Hats,

Gauntlets, Cloaks, Mantillas, Velvets,

Embroideries, Ribbons, Laces,

Carpets, Rugs, Druggists,

Oil Cloths,

Paper Hangings, Mattings, etc. etc.

And all other Goods pertaining to the Business, at the lowest prices.

N. B.—All orders from British Columbia, Oregon or Washington Territory, by Express or otherwise will be promptly attended to.

my5 if **K. GAMBITZ & MEYER.**

EX ATHELSTAN.

16 QR. CASES VERY SUPERIOR Dry Sherry, (Vino do Pasto),

50 cases fine 6-year-old Pale Brandy;

50 cases C Tanqueray & Co's Ginger Brandy.

For sale by

HENDERSON & BURNABY.

NOTICE.

I WOULD RESPECTFULLY INFORM my friends and the public, that my new Carriage, with two excellent horses, is ready, NIGHT or DAY, and will convey parties to any part of Victoria, Esquimalt, or the surrounding country, at the most reasonable rates. All orders left at the Book Store of HIBBEN & CARSWELL, respectfully attended to.

my6 lm **JOHN GUEST.**

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED, during his absence from Victoria, has duly appointed Jno. Gascan, C. E., as his Sole Agent for sale, or letting of his lands in Victoria.
JAS. E. CHAPMAN.
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EX LEONESA.

RUM—Jamaica, a superior article;

Port, in 1 doz cases;

Sherry, do

Champagne, quarts and pints;

Pickles, Pie Fruits, Sauces, &c., R Thin's;

Soap, best English, 25 lbs boxes.

For sale by

DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.,

corner Johnson and Wharf sts.

my5-1m

Clothes Cleaning Establishment.

WE WILL GUARANTEE TO MAKE the oldest Cloth assume the appearance of new, or no charge.

BROWN & MATTHEWS,

corner Johnson and Wharf sts.

N. B.—OLD CLOTHES BOUGHT. my10 lm

FOR SALE, EX D. M. HALL.

300 SACKS BRAN—In lots to suit.

J. J. SOUTHGATE & CO.,

Wharf street.

EX ATHELSTAN.

FACING BRICKS—hard white Essex;

FIRE BRICKS;

ROOFING SLATES—Countess;

For sale by

DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.

EX ATHELSTAN.

BOILED OIL—50 casks, each 5 gallons;

For sale by

DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.

EX ATHELSTAN.

BASS ALE—50 hds. new brew;

For sale by

DICKSON, CAMPBELL & CO.

FOR SALE, EX D. M. HALL.

400 SACKS CHOICE WHEAT, IN lots to suit

J. J. SOUTHGATE & CO.,

Wharf street.

TO LET.

A LOT THIRTY FEET FRONT, ON THE WEST side of Government street, near the Post Office, well situated for business.

A. DE COSMOS,
British Colonist office.
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REINHART & BRO.,

Wholesale Dealers and Importers

—OF—

WINES,

Liquors, Ales, Cigars,

GROCERIES, PROVISIONS

AND

CLOTHING,

YATES STREET,

Victoria, V. I.

JUST RECEIVED—EX DANIEL WEBSTER and MARIE, a large and excellent assortment of

WINES, ALES,

Liquors, Cigars, Groceries,

CLOTHING,

ETC...ETC...ETC.

Which we offer to Dealers at our usual LOW RATES.

300 bbls Golden Gate Flour;

300 bbls Eureka Mills Flour;

100 bbls Self-Rising Flour;

250 mats China Sugar;

200 bbls Sandwich Island Sugar;

70 cs and 1 hds choice Bacon;

75 half and whole bbls extra clear Pork;

40 kgs choice Butter;

60 cs Jewell & Harrison's Lard;

2100 sbs Bayo Chili and White Beans;

60 chests choice Black Tea;

60 chests choice Green Tea;

250 boxes Adamantine and Sperm Candles;

100 doz Blue Overalls;

100 doz White Overalls;

100 doz fine Grey Overalls;

50 doz Cassimere Pants;

100 gross boxes Smoking Tobacco;

50 bskts Champagne, favorite brands;

100 cs Wolfe's Russ' and Voldner's Schnapps;

50,000 lbs Cheving Tobacco, assorted brands, at

New Westminster, which we offer to dealers at low rates;

And a general assortment of

Ales, Wines, Liquors, Cigars,

ETC. ETC. ETC.

All of which will be sold

CHEAP FOR CASH.

Reinhart & Bro.,

YATES STREET,

(Opposite Wells, Fargo & Co's Express.)

my5 VICTORIA.

J. D. CARROLL,

YATES STREET,

(BETWEEN WHARF AND GOVERNMENT STS.)

IMPORTER,

—AND—

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALER

—IN—

Wines and Liquors,

Now Offers for Sale the Following

CHOICE BRANDS.

10 Puncheons Scotch Whiskey,

10 " Jamaica Rum;

10 " Swan & Board's Old Tom/Gin

15 pipes Holland Gin;

15 " casks Sazerac Cognac;

10 " J Robbins Cognac;

10 " Martel Cognac;

15 " Seligette Cognac;

25 bbls Bourbon Whiskey

50 bbls Alcohol;

50 casks American Brandy;

15 hds Alsop & Sons' Burton Ale;

50 bbls Oregon Claret;

150 cases Swan and Board's Old Tom;

300 cases London Dock Cognac Brandy;

20 cases London Club House Gin;

100 cs V. H. & Co. Anchor Holland Gin

50 " Absinthe Suisse;

50 " Vermouth Royale;

50 " Scotch Whiskey, Robt Thin's;

150 cases Claret Wine

50 " John Durand Haut Sauterne

10 bbls D. Gordon Sherry Wine;

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A. DE COSMOS, - - - EDITOR.

TO ADVERTISERS.

All advertisements, unless the time for which they are to be inserted is specified, will be continued until ordered out, and so charged.

Saturday Morning, May 26, 1860.

Exploring Expedition.

Strange as it may appear, yet but little more is known of the industrial resources of the interior of the island, than there was known centuries ago, when the Greek pilot, Apostolos Valerianos, more commonly known as Juan de Fuca, visited the Strait that bears his name. The trading voyages of the Hudson Bay Company, up the Gulf of Georgia, through Johnson's Straits, and up to Cape Scott, have added comparatively nothing more to the sum of general knowledge as regards the capabilities of the public domain, than the tri-monthly trading voyages of Capt. McKay in the schooner Surprise to the West Coast. Both parties have skirted the shore; but the interior is a *terra incognita*. For the advancement of settlement, and the furtherance of commerce, even the shore is inaccurately known, and even the credit of that is due to voyagers and traders on the East and West coast. The lofty range forming the backbone of the island, whose dark sides are clothed with tall pines to the very sea, are known to-day only from the ship's deck to Juan Perez and Estevan Martinz, when they discovered Nootka Sound. Whether they possess diamonds that vie with those of Golconda, or gold like the Sierra Nevada, or only furnish pines like the cedars of Lebanon, is still unsolved; and so far as the public witness the lack of energy in the government, is still likely to be for many a long year. Partaking of the characteristics of the aborigines who reside at spots only on the shore, we have located ourselves at the extreme southeast of the island, and are apparently content to let another century pass without learning whether the public patrimony in the interior is a wilderness or a garden. Whether we have mines of iron to weld with our fields of coal, enabling us to aspire to be the Great Britain of the Pacific, is still unknown. Whilst other portions of the Anglo-Saxon race have brought San Francisco within eighteen days of London; while they have organized their telegraphs, and are urging them on to completion, to girdle the earth with the lightning's flash from London, eastward through Europe, Asia, and America, and even to traverse our own domain, we set supinely by and take no measures to make public our industrial resources, and invite enterprise and population. Some may imagine it is wise to pass life in a Rip-Van-Winkle sleep; but what in the Providence of God will result from it, is inscrutable to human eyes. Our belief is like Frederick the Great's—"that the gods help the best drilled soldiers;" and so, if some effort is not made to explore and make public the capabilities of the country that work will remain for another generation, who will deplore and condemn our apathy and our indolence.

From Nanaimo to Sooke, scarcely fifty miles as the bird flies, and southeasterly, the country is tolerably well known. A few scattered settlements contain not a thousand persons outside of Victoria, whilst we are led to believe that we have resources sufficient to supply hundreds of thousands with homes, and the comforts of civilization. Nothing however, bearing the impress of scientific exploration has yet taken place. Definite surveys, scientific explorations, are wanted. A practical description of the country is required, so that the farmer, the herdsman, the fisherman, the lumberman, the miner, or the manufacturer, may have an authentic manual to guide him when here, or attract him from abroad. Although our geographical position and the outlines of our coast point out to us a maritime and commercial destiny, yet we want the base and adjunct, a rural population. We want exports; and yet what member of the government can say where is the best fishing bank, or where the best lumbering station? It is known that we have both, but neither is known so definitely as the subject merits to attract population. Except the government arouses itself from the stupor superinduced by "hungering and thirsting" for office, and initiates a broad, comprehensive, practical policy, in which the exploration of the country should be a pillar, we shall ever remain a petty people with magnificent expectations.

SALE OF PLANTS.—A large sale of plants, comprising many of the choicest varieties, will take place this morning, at the sales-room of P. M. Backus, Yates street. This sale will afford our residents a fine opportunity to beautify their gardens.

The Queen's Birthday.

The forty-first anniversary of Queen Victoria's birthday was observed on Thursday with a spirit which speaks well for the loyalty of our residents.

At sunrise, the flags of almost every nation under the sun, were waving from the various flag-staffs, and the shipping in the harbor displayed their gayest colors: several private dwellings also displayed flags, and H. M. Ships Ganges, Topaze and Satellite were dressed in holiday uniform.

The sun was hidden behind murky clouds during the greater part of the day; but contrary to general prognostication, no rain fell to mar the general enjoyment.

At 12 o'clock, M., a salute of twenty-one guns was fired from the vessels of war at Esquimalt; and at one o'clock, P. M., the tide of people which had during the morning thronged our streets, set out for Beacon Hill, for the purpose of attending the races, and before two o'clock, about two thousand persons had assembled to witness the sport.

THE RACES.

Which were under the patronage of Chief Justice Cameron, commenced at 2 P. M., with the Hurdle Race, for \$100, which was won in two straight heats by T. Harris's brown gelding "George." There were two competitors in this race. The Queen's Plate, value \$150, was not run for, on account of only one horse being entered. The Sweepstakes for \$50, was won by J. Parker's chestnut gelding "Selleck;" in 2 min. and 2s., against six others, distanced in the first heat. The Scurry Stakes were carried off by J. Parker's roan mare "Sall;" four others ran. Several match races were run late in the afternoon, and considerable betting ensued. Everything seemed conducted in a perfectly fair manner, and appeared to give general satisfaction.

ACCIDENTS, INCIDENTS, ETC.

During the afternoon a young man named Myers, while riding a horse in the scrub-race, was thrown to the ground and severely injured in the face and head. He was picked up and carried into a tent, where he soon recovered sufficiently to walk home.

About 4 o'clock, a man named Cannon, while intoxicated, was run against and knocked down by a man on horse-back, and received some severe bruises; the collision was accidental.

A buggy, on its way towards the race-grounds, was upset about noon, and its occupants "spilled," but no other damage done.

A horse, ridden by a well dressed man, whose name we could not ascertain, stumbled and fell, and rolled completely over his rider. The man was somewhat stunned; but beyond a few deep cuts in the face, received trifling injury.

Several fights took place during the day and evening, between patriotic individuals who had imbibed too much of the ardent, but we heard of nothing serious, owing to the presence of an efficient police force.

NAVAL.—News arrived by the last mail that Admiral Sir Thomas Maitland will succeed Admiral Baynes on the Pacific Station. He will hoist his flag on the Bacheante, 51 guns, a new steam frigate superior to the Topaze. Two-gun boats and three other men-of-war are on their way here. Esquimalt is evidently destined to become the principal Naval Station on the Pacific. It is rumored that Admiral Baynes will remain here till the arrival of his successor, which is expected in about nine months.

H. M. S. Satellite is ordered home, and will take her departure in the course of the present month. Her gallant officers and crew who have made themselves universal favorites, will be reluctantly parted with by their many friends, though their voyage homeward will be accompanied by the best wishes of the entire community.

FIRE.—A small frame building on Government street, three doors North of Johnson, was slightly damaged by fire on Thursday evening, about six o'clock. The flames were speedily extinguished by a number of citizens, and by some sailors from Esquimalt. Tiger Engine No. 2 was first on the ground.

BEHIND A COUNTER.—An Indian was found behind the counter of a store on Yates street, on Thursday. Supposing he had designs against the money drawer, the owner had him arrested. Yesterday morning he was discharged by the Police Judge.

THEATRICAL.—We understand that Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Forbes, tragedians of merit and taste of Haymarket, London, will appear at the Colonial Theatre during next week, aided by a full company.

STEALING CLOTHING.—A Simpsen Siwash was sentenced to the chain-gang yesterday for forty days, for stealing wearing apparel.

OPPOSITION.—We learn that the steamer Ediza Anderson will make a trip to New Westminster, on Tuesday of each week, carrying freight and passengers.

The price of freight on the steamer Henrietta, is now \$10 per ton to Fort Hope and Port Douglas, from New Westminster.

The Port Townsend Indians have been removed without the city limits.

Exciting Race After a Siwash.—He

Escapes by Swimming.—WHITE PEOPLE SHOT AT BY INDIANS.—Yesterday morning, about 11 o'clock, a man on View street espied a Hyder Indian whom he suspected of having stolen some clothing from him the day before. He accosted the red-skin, when that individual immediately "cut grave" in the direction of the harbor.

The white man gave chase, and followed the Indian to Rousset's Wharf, where the latter disappeared among the piles supporting that structure. A short time after he was observed making his way along under Union Wharf, and a large crowd having assembled, a chase commenced. The Indian who had drawn a horse-pistol leaped nimbly from pile to pile, occasionally taking to the water, when necessary, and finally emerged from under Young's Warehouse, on Johnson street, and struck a bee-line for Rock Bay. The crowd, which now numbered about two hundred persons, ran through Store street with the design of cutting off his retreat; but the Indian continued along the water front, occasionally brandishing his pistol, by way of a warning to not come too near, and on gaining a point about opposite the Hyder encampment, several rifles were fired across the Bay at the whites, the balls whistling over their heads, and causing a stampede in an opposite direction. Profiting by this diversion in his favor, the Siwash "peeled off" his clothing and plunged into the water, and after swimming half-way across was met by a canoe filled with friends, who paddled him in triumph to his home. Officer Andrews subsequently crossed the bridge and attempted to arrest the fugitive, but was prevented by his friends, who drew rifles and pistols and fired at the officer twice, after which he was fain to beat a hasty retreat into town.

CUTTING WITH A KNIFE.—DECIDEDLY A MIXED AFFAIR.—Last night, between nine and ten o'clock, James Davison, in passing along Kanaka road, heard a cry of murder, and on proceeding to the spot discovered a half-breed Indian, named Alfred McNeil, and a negro, named Lewis Scott, scuffling—each having hold of a knife. When Davison came up the parties separated, and McNeil was subsequently arrested in Ringo's restaurant on Yates street. The case was heard in the Police Court, yesterday. Scott's hands were badly cut, and he stated that McNeil had commenced the assault, and attempted to stab him, and that he had cut his hands in warding off the blows. McNeil, on the other hand, deposed that the negro had struck him, and afterwards drew the knife and tried to plunge it into him. McNeil was remanded to jail until to-morrow to await the production of further testimony.

Our to-day's issue contains the advertisement of the Anti-Rheumatic Cordial of Dr. ADOLPHUS, a desideratum wished for, since the whole world is paying a tribute of labor in exchange of gold dust on this shore.

Among the tribulations attending the courageous gold diggers, the most cruel are the rheumatic affections which assail the operators so often exposed to live in the permanent dampness of the bowels of the earth. Since it is almost impossible to protect the miner against that inexorable generator of all degrees of rheumatism, we must welcome him a blessing the antidote of this evil, and by its application arrest a dangerous progress, and eradicate a germ of constant torture.

Many years have established the reputation of Dr. Adolphus' precious discovery: the possession of this efficacious medicine is, by its price, within the reach of all, and the public press is bound by its powerful ministry to acquaint the suffering portion of the Californian population that in future the pangs of this martyrdom can be silenced in a very short lapse of time.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

TO ALL COOPERS.

A CHALLENGE.

THE UNDERSIGNED IS WILLING to take the case of MARK MORE BARRELS which will pass the inspection of judges than any other Cooper in British Columbia or Vancouver Island, in one day or one month, according to terms of the bet. Is willing to stake from \$250 to \$500 on his capabilities. Address F. G. ODIN, Office of the British Colonist.

Choice Old Wines & Brandies.

W. H. OLIVER, Importer and Wholesale Dealer

IN FINE OLD WINES, BRANDIES & SPIRITS, Johnson street, opposite Wharf street.

IS IN CONSTANT RECEIPT, BY EVERY arrival, of New and Fresh Goods belonging to the Trade, in bulk and cases.

Traders, Dealers, and Proprietors of Bars are invited to call and examine my Stock, where they will find a most complete and full assortment of everything comprised in the Liquor line, and at the lowest prices.

SUPERIOR CALIFORNIA WINE, A very choice, light and pure Wine for Family use, in cases and packages. Its purity can be depended upon, and is worthy the attention of all connoisseurs.

For Sale, 250 BBL'S F. OREGON FLOUR, direct importation, by WILLIAM H. WOODCOCK, New Westminster, B. C.

EX W. B. SCRANTON, 50 CASES POWDERED SUGAR; 50 boxes Genuine English Cheese.

For Sale by J. D. CARROLL, Yates street.

FOR SALE, EX D. M. HALL, 2000 SACKS SUPERIOR CALIFORNIA BARLEY, in lots to suit. J. J. SOUTHWATE & CO., Wharf street.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

"Scripture Scenes and Characters." A SERIES OF SUNDAY MORNING Discourses on the above subjects will be delivered in Port street Congregational Church, by the Rev. MATTHEW MACFIE. To-morrow, May 27th, at 11 o'clock. Service to begin at 11 o'clock.

NOTICE. H. M. SHIP "SATELLITE," BEING about to leave this Station, the Officers and Ship Company request that any claims on them may be immediately sent in. H. M. S. SATELLITE. ESQUIMALT, V. I., May 25th, 1860. my26 1w*

FOR SALE. 300,000 BRICK FOR SALE—FOR BEACON HILL, or at the Identical Saloon, corner of Wharf and Yates street. MASON & BALLS. Victoria, May 25th, 1860. my26 1m

FURNITURE. BY LATE ARRIVALS, THE UNDER- signed have received additions to their hitherto well-assorted stock of Furniture—and now offer PAINTED SETS, ten pieces; EXTENSION TABLES, 8 and 10 feet long; CENTRE TABLES, Serpentine and round top, assorted sizes; CARD TABLES, harp and square pillars; COMMON " 2 1/2, 3 and 3 1/2 long, with drawers; also Cherry, Walnut, and painted pine leaf tables; BEDSTEADS, Mahogany French, Cottage, double and single; LOUNGES, spring seats, in damask and leather covers; SOFAS, spring seats, hair cloth, with round and pillow ends; DESKS, with fall and door fronts; CHEFFONNIERS, walnut and mahogany carved fronts, 3 shelves, fret work; BUREAUX, one-half marble top, scroll and painted pine, 4 and 6 drawers; WHAT-NOTS, walnut and mahogany, 5 and 6 shelves; MIRRORS, in gilt and mahogany frames, assorted sizes, for parlors, chambers and saloons; CHILDREN'S cradles and cradles, also high and low chairs, assorted patterns; CHAIRS, mahogany hair cloth, spring seats, cane and wood seat, office, oak, dining, Grecian cane, heavy bar room, and common wood seats; ROCKERS, standing, mahogany and cane seats and backs, sewing and arm; SINKS, wash stands, chair cushions, coverlets, towel racks, willow cribs, &c.

—ALSO—BEDDING, Pulu, Curled Hair, Moss, Wool, and Straw Mattresses, best Feather Pillows, all sizes; in the manufacture of which we use none but the best materials, and guarantee our work. PIERCE & SEYMOUR, Northwest corner Yates and Douglas street. Victoria, V. I., Feb. 22. my23 1m

DESIRABLE PROPERTY Adjoining the Town of Victoria, On Cook St. and the School Reserve, TO LEASE.

The Farm of Fairfield, WHICH WILL BE SUBDIVIDED into Small lots, of 5 and 10 acres and upwards, to suit, for 21 years, at low Ground Rent.

This Land is cleared, and from its proximity to the Town, offers eligible sites for Buildings and Gardens without the outlay of capital which would be required in the purchase of land. Every encouragement will be given to applicants. For particulars apply to LEOPOLD LOEWENBERG, Real Estate Agent, Government st., bet. Yates & Johnson, my20

THE ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY OF VICTORIA WILL HOLD A SPECIAL MEETING in the Police Court Room, by the kind permission of Justice Pemberton, on Tuesday, May 29th, at 8 P. M., for the transaction of important business.

HIS EXCELLENCY GOVERNOR DOUGLAS, HONORARY PRESIDENT. HIS HONOR DAVID CAMERON, Chief Justice, HONORARY VICE PRESIDENT. HIS HONOR JUDGE BEGGIE, HONORARY VICE PRESIDENT. JOHN COPLAND, President. CALEB REID, Vice Presidents. CARL JEFFREYS, Vice Presidents. JAMES CARSWELL, Treasurer. REV. MR. MACFIE, Chaplain. DR. BAIRD, Physician.

BOARD OF MANAGEMENT. Messrs. J. G. McKay, Muir, McDonald, Duncan and McHardy. N. B. Applications for labor or pecuniary assistance, in deserving cases, to be made to the Board of Management in the first instance. By order, ALEX. MACKENZIE, Secretary.

JUST RECEIVED, EX STEAMER PACIFIC, A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF FINE BLACK Frock Coats, PANTS & VESTS.

—ALSO—AN EXCELLENT ARTICLE OF Shirts, Cravats, Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings.

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CAUTION. Owing to the unexplained demand for these Bitters, some unprincipled parties have endeavored to counterfeited them. The genuine ROSENBAUM have the name of N. B. JACOBS & CO. branded on each cork, and their signature on each label. Beware also of a worthless article, called ROSENBAUM'S Bitters, put up in this city. Its external appearance is very much like the true Bitters, but it is useless as a remedial agent, and has only been got up to prey on the reputation attained by ROSENBAUM'S Bitters. For sale everywhere. N. B. JACOBS & CO., corner Sanson and Commercial sts. San Francisco. m15-4m

Collegiate School for Boys, VICTORIA.

VISITOR—The Bishop of Columbia and Vancouver Island.

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THIS SCHOOL WILL BE OPENED (D. V.) on MONDAY, the 28th inst., in the Collegiate School Room on Church Way. It will be conducted on the plan of the Grammar School of England, and is designed to qualify for the Learned Professions, Commercial and Mercantile pursuits, and the Universities.

The course of Education will comprise Religious and Moral Training, the English Language in all its Branches—Reading, Grammar; Penmanship, Geography, History, Composition, and General Literature; the Classics—Greek and Latin; Modern Languages—French, Italian and Spanish; Arithmetic and Book-keeping, Mathematics, the Elements of Natural Philosophy and Drawing.

Boys will be admitted from the age of seven and upwards. School Fees are fixed for the present at \$100 per annum, payable in four equal terms. There will be two vacations in the year.

Pending the arrival of a complete supply of School Books, Maps, Globes, Diagrams, etc., now on their way from England, boys will be required to provide their own Books. When these books actually come to hand, they will be issued to the pupils at moderate prices.

Prospectuses and further information may be obtained by application to the Rev. A. C. GARRETT, Fort Street, Victoria.

N. B.—Arrangements will be made, as soon as practicable, for the accommodation of Boarders in Private Families, carefully selected. May 21, 1860. my22 1m

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THE LIBERAL PATRONAGE RECEIVED from Miners and Dealers in Gold Dust, since the opening of the PIONEER ASSAY OFFICE of the undersigned, is acknowledged by the fact that they still continue at their old stand, and solicit a continuation of their support.

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OPENING OF THE Wesleyan Methodist Church.

THE DEDICATORY SERVICES of the Wesleyan Methodist Church, on Pandora street, will be held on SATURDAY, the 20th of May, when SERMONS will be preached:

At 10 1/2 A. M. by the Rev. E. Evans, D. D. At 3 P. M. by the Rev. M. Macfie, Congregational Minister. At 6 1/2 P. M. by the Rev. E. White, of New Westminster.

The Services will be continued on Sabbath the 27th, when the Rev. E. Robinson, of Hope, and A. Brown, of Nanaimo, will officiate at 10 1/2 A. M. and 6 1/2 P. M.

A collection will be made at each of the above Services, to defray the expenses of erection. N. B.—The Rev. Dr. Peck, of San Francisco, has been invited; and should he arrive, will take one of the Services on the 28th.

A TEA MEETING.

Will be held in the spacious Lecture Room of the Church, on WEDNESDAY, the 23d inst., at 6 1/2 P. M., when addresses will be delivered by several Ministers and other gentlemen.

Tickets may be procured at the Stores of Messrs. Langley Bros. and Hibben & Carswell's. Price \$1 50. my17 5d

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JUST ARRIVED, ENGLISH PAPER HANGINGS, all kinds, manufactured by Messrs. Potter & Co., Darwin, Lancashire. ROBERTSON STEWART & CO., Langley street, off Yates. my24 1m

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INFORMATION WANTED OF ALLEN and LUCAS LOUCKS, who left Canada in the Summer of 1858; last heard from in British Columbia, in May 1859. Address WILSON FLINT, San Francisco. my24 1m

Tenders Wanted,

For the EXCAVATION, MASONRY and Brick Work of a Building to be erected, Plans of which may be seen at H. MYERS', Wharf Office. my22

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BASKETS CELEBRATED V.V.E. Cliequot Champagne; 10 baskets do do do pints. Shipped in bond. For sale by J. D. CARROLL, Yates street. my22

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THE WRONG TRUNK.—In the days of coaching over the Providence turnpike, before railroads in 1838, and baggage-carriers existed, and when travellers had to keep a sharp look-out over their luggage some forty or fifty passengers had just stepped on board the old "Ben Franklin," and got under way on Narragansett Bay. A gentleman who had occasion to get some of his wardrobe, had just hauled out from an immense pile of baggage stowed amidships, a black leather trunk of portly dimensions, studded with brass nails, when a little withered Frenchman of a mottled complexion and fashionably dressed, darted from the crowd, and interposing between our friend and his property, exclaimed, courteously, but positively: "I beg your pardon, sars—mais pardonnez moi—you have got ze wrong cochon by ze orselle—zat is my trunk!" "Not so, monsieur, I hope I know my own traps." "Restez tranquille—hold on—dans un instant, I will prove my props—aha! you see this key, eh?" Applying it to the lock, he threw up the lid, and then struck up a triumphant attitude. "My key unlock your trunk, eh? tell me zat?" "Stand out of the way its my trunk, I tell you!" "Hold on you leetle minute—zose you shuirts, eh?" "To be sure they are!" "Zose you drowaires, eh?" "Certainly." "Vait a moment I will prove my props sure;" and the little Frenchman, rummaging beneath a pile of shirts and socks, produced a bottle, and said deliberately, with a hideous grin: "Zat—your—bot telle of Dom fresch ish (itch) ointment—rare eh? have you got von little ish? Zis you remede for ze leprosy (leprosy), eh? Ah! by dam, I know it was my trunk!" It is needless to remark that our friend immediately "opened a wide gap" between himself and the interesting victim of two of the most unpopular disorders known to suffering humanity.

THE LAWYER AND THE DOCTOR.—Colonel Stone, a practising lawyer, and Dr. Mason, a practising physician, were rival candidates for the State Senate of Massachusetts, and were stumping the district together. Dr. Mason was a warm advocate for law-reform, and, in arguing its necessity, he referred to a certain case in which his competitor had been non-suited upon some technicality. "Now," said Dr. Mason, "we need to have the law reformed, or Colonel Stone is incompetent to bring a suit correctly—he can take either horn of the dilemma."

Colonel Stone replied: "Fellow citizens, the doctor has the advantage of me. When I make a mistake in my profession, he has only to go to the records of the court, and find it, and publish it to the world; but when he makes a mistake in his profession, he buries it six feet under ground!"

The people appreciated the lawyer's ready wit, and forgave him the blunder charged upon him, for the sake of the clever retort he made at the doctor's expense.

FOUND HIS MATCH.—In the Court of Quarter Sessions, a petty case was being tried. A well-known criminal lawyer, who prides himself upon his skill in cross-examining a witness, had an odd-looking genius upon whom to operate.

"You say, sir, that the prisoner is a thief?"

"Yes, sir; cause why, sho confessed it."

"I do, sir."

"Then"—giving a sagacious look to the Court—"we are to understand that you employ dishonest people to work for you, even after their rascalities are known?"

"Of course; how else could I get assistance from a lawyer?"

The counsellor said, "stand aside," and in a tone which showed that if he had the witness's head in a bark-mill, no mercy might have been expected. The judge nearly choked himself in a futile endeavor to make the spectators believe that a laugh was nothing but a hiccough; while the witness stepped off the stand with all the gravity of a fashionable undertaker.

NOT THE MAN.—A good anecdote is told of a man named Bently, a confirmed drinker, who would never drink with a friend or in public, and always denied, when a little too steep, even tasting liquor. One day some bad witnesses had concealed themselves in his room, and when the liquor was running down his throat, seized him, with his arm crooked and his mouth open, and holding him fast, asked him with an air of triumph: "Ah, Bently, have we caught you at last? You never drink, ha!" Now, one would suppose that he would acknowledge the corn; not he; with the most grave and inexpressible face, he calmly, and in a dignified manner, said: "Gentlemen, my name is not Bently!"

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